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Roy**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**In re application: **Brown et al.**Serial No.: **09/884,490**Filed: **June 18, 2001**For: **Method and Apparatus for
Removing Information from a Server**§
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§Group Art Unit: **2171**Examiner: **Amsbury, Wayne P.**Attorney Docket No.: **AUS920010546US1****Certificate of Transmission Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)**

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In response to the Office Action dated July 11, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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